# SHOWN IN SHOPS

Dame Fashion Announces Her Styles Here as Quickly as in New York.

**AUTUMN DISPLAYS** 

**NOW BEING MADE** 

Service Suits and Debutante Frocks All Follow Beautiful Lines. Pantalettes Are Hinted.

Dame Fashion keeps step with the capital's movement toward a Greater Washington.

The city's shopping sections, covering acres of space and with vast de-partments allotted to special features of women's apparel, substantiate the claims of local houses that every authoritative style, foreign or American, has its introduction here at the same time that it appears in New York



with the modes of the moment need no longer consult fashion magazines, or run over to see what 5th avenue is wearing; she can find what she wants

right here in Washington.

Formal openings of autumn and early winter vogues are now in progress and a round of Washington's style stores will prove of illuminating interest alike to purchasers and to those who aim to keep in academic touch with every pulse beat of the day.

"Anything Becoming" Best.

"Anything becoming" is the latitude allowed in buying suits; so widely do styles range in cut and textures. With trimmed with fur, and that black and white are the most distinguished contrasts in the whole gamut of the season's two-tone effects, one is otherwise at liberty to choose between velvel, corduroy or any of the countless
fabrics that lend gracefully to what
the cynic calls fussy dressing, and any
of the mannish weaves that provide the
rigid plainness of a pipestem. It is
merely a matter of individual choice.
An exclusive garment house on F
street has apotheosized the craze for
black and white—and fur, of course—
in heavy black satin; the skirt covered
a half yard deep with caracul, and
with wide bands of the same fur on the trasts in the whole gamut of the sea-



At a nearby store another combina-tich reveals the girlish lightness of a color usually considered too sober for ing at 8th street and Michigan avenue northeast.

straps and the new side belts are formed of two-inch black velvet fastened with rhinestone rings and a last artis-

with rhinestone rings and a last artistic touch of lightness is given by bouffant hip-ripples of white silk net.

Another debutant's delight is created in white net with pyramids of silver embroidery rising from the hem.

The tunic bodice of canary silk is bordered with sheaves of silver wheat and finished with a tulie revival of the angel sleeves which used to be worn when everybody's grandma was a sir.

As if in defiance of Europe's demand for pelts, Washington's store openings allow that this is to be a fur season which will out-challenge any fur season that has ever gone before. Seal, mink, German fitch, Russian cat and every other fur from every part of the world are represented in coats which. It is box an ultra stylish model for the woman who desires luxurious warmth, whether walking or riding, is of Hudson bay sable. It is box-thaped to the wist, where it ripples into the wideness of the immediate present, and is but one of a regal fur exhibit at a large store in the shopping section downtown.

Some of New Conceits.

SURVEYOR CONTRACT IS LET.

Wisconsin Concern to Build Coast and Geodetic Survey Vessel.

The new steamer Surveyor, for the construction of which the coast and geodetic survey service asked for bids, is to be built by the Manitowoc Shipb building and Dry Dock Company of Manitowoc, Wis., the contract for the work having been recently placed with that concern by the government officials.

The Surveyor when completed and fully equipped is to cost \$200,000. She is to be built of steel throughout and fully equipped is to cost \$200,000. She is to be built of steel throughout and fully equipped is to cost \$200,000. She is to be built of steel throughout and fully equipped is to cost \$200,000. She is to be built of steel throughout and fully equipped is to cost \$200,000. She is to be built of steel throughout and fully equipped is to cost \$200,000. She is to be built of steel throughout and fully equipped is to cost \$200,000. She is to be built of steel throughout and fully equipped is to cost \$200,

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sparkles, but for a real fad of a higher money value nothing reaches the height of popularity attained by the old-time camee, which has been revived in all its quaintness and with artistic decorations, which are entirely new. One may choose between reproductions of antique heads, framed in



twisted gold, or in modern miniatures of youthful beauty, set in filigree and crusted with garnets, sapphires and

in the shape of queer-cut coral beads and brooches.

Like the cameos they are selling far below former prices because shell cutters and coral fishers are finding customers scarces in these days of war. Also, some hunter who was stalking big game chanced on a greenstone mountain. It looks like malachite, and is just as splendid when set in frosted gold. Not being malachite it costs less.

The present exhibits of leading shoe



"sick and tired of the past summer's freaks." The official dress shoe is two-toned in effect. One authoritative store reckons among its novelties white and navy blue kidskins with fancy stitchings in white and blue. Other models combine burgundy and tan, patent leather and ivory with fancy buttons, in black and white. This continued vogue of "art shoes" seems to offer proof of the Paris-made announcement that ankle dresses are to be shorter in the spring.

Pantalettes Hinted. It is hinted that the smuggled importations which are soon to startle America include the Paris pantalette, but-to quote an expert-"no one but the secret service knows for certain. The one sure thing about the matter is that if the pantajette has secretly arrived in this country, Washington will see it as soon as New York.

WAGON DAMAGED BY TRAIN. Boy Driver of Team Has Narrow

Escape From Death. R. P. Wright, colored, fifteen years tunic coat and Russian collar. Glimpses old, narrowly escaped serious injury, possibly death, Friday night when a batta nearby store another combinanortheast.

This lovliest of models is a dancing gown of white crepe de chine, its classic peplum and tunic drapery embroidered in circles of jet. Shoulder straps and the new side belts are form-

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E. F. Colladay, president of the Federation of Citizens' Associations, is to speak at a meeting of the Connecticut Avenue Citizens' Association at 8 diac charms and wish rings are proling every novelty for those who

respectively by the street near Connecticut avenue,

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# Seventh Street House & Herrmann



## The Store That Is Different

Conservative—in that we never permit ourselves to be tempted from the exact line of quality. Aggressive—in that we fight tirelessly for the best merchandise at the bottom price. Consistent—in that we can always assure you the greatest value for the money expended. We place the highest importance upon this principle of our business.

We ask your confidence—and we guard it closely. No transaction between us is complete until you are satisfied—not merely for the time being—but in the end. And a credit system that costs you nothing—but that really does ease the buying by giving you your own convenience in paying. You see the "difference."

#### For the Dining Room

Suites and Single pieces, that can be combined in Suites-giving you an assortment of the periods and the survivals of the best

Specially priced-all of them.

Quarter-sawed Oak; Colonial Scroll design, superior finish and construction.

Buffet, 46 inches wide, with \$32.00 French plate mirror, 12x36..... China Closet, 32 inches wide, \$23.00 with bent doorglass and ends....

Six-foot Pedestal-base Din-ing Table, 45-in. round plank top. \$22.00 Five Dining Chairs; genuine brown Spanish leather slip seats, \$5.00 each....

One Arm Chair, genuine Brown Spanish 

Mahogany Buffet, Dull-finish; Colonial Scroll design—54 inches wide, \$64.00 with French plate mirror, 12x48. Mahogany Buffet; Dull-finish, Colonial

Scroll design-48 inches wide, \$52.00 with French-plate mirror, 12x40. Mahogany Square-end China Closet; Dull-

finish; Colonial Scroll design; One top mirror panel, 40 inches \$40.00 wide .....

Mahogany Side Chairs; Dull finish; Colonial Scroll design; Spanish Leath- \$5.00 er seats. Each..... Mahogany Arm Chairs, to \$9.00

match. Each ..... Mahogany Buffet, an Adam design, with festoon carvings-54 inches wide, French plate

mirror, 12x50, finely finished; mahogany drawer bottoms..... Mahogany China Closet, to match-square ends, 40 inches wide. Mahogany \$42.00 back and one top mirror panel....

Mahogany-finished Buffet; Colonial Scroll design; 50 inches wide. French \$45.00 plate mirror, 10x34 ..... China Closet to match; 40 \$36.00 inches wide; square ends ......

Quarter-sawed Golden Oak Buffet; nicely polished; convenient drawers and cupboards; 42 inches wide. French plate \$24.00 mirror, 8x32.....

Quarter-sawed Oak Buffet; Colonial design; highly polish finish; French bevel plate mirror... \$28.00 Oak China Closet; bent end \$17.00 glasses, good finish ......

Oak China Closet; Colonial lesign; bent end glasses; four \$20.00 shelves ..... Oak Dining Table; pedestal base; six-

foot extension, 42-inch round \$12.00 top; good finish, attractive design Quarter-sawed Oak Dining Table; Colonial design; six-foot extension, \$18.00 42-inch round plank top..... Oak Dining Chairs; shaped \$2.50 wood seat, box frame.....

Oak Dining Chairs; box \$2.00 frames; cane seats ..... Oak Dining Chairs; imitation \$2.25 leather slip seats..... Oak Dining Chairs; genuine Spanish Leather slip seats; extra \$3.50 well finished ..... Fumed Oak Dining Chairs; \$3.00

Oak Chairs; cane seat; strongly 85c made and well finished..... Bedroom Chairs

wood seats; box frame.....

Bed-room Chairs, in Golden Oak, Mahogany-finish and Maple; cane seat, \$2.00 dainty pattern. Each..... 

#### Featuring Library Furniture This Week

With Many Suites and Separate Pieces that will argue their own exceptional value.

#### The Suite That's Illustrated

Settee, Arm Chair, and Arm Rocker - Tapestry covered in verdure pattern - steel construction; upholstered spring seats and backs. Strong frames tipped with brass ferrules. Big, roomy, comfortable pieces....

The Table is of Colonial design; with two pedestals and shelf, and roomy drawer. Dull Mahogany finish and most superior cabinet work; top 26x42 inches.......\$23.00

Library Suite-Jacobean Oak design and finish-Arm Chair, Arm Rocker and Settee; twist turnings, shaped arms; spring seats; automobile upholstery, covered \$57.00 in fine grade of Tapestry......

Library Suite-Jacobean design, in Quaker gray finish-Arm Chair, Arm Rocker and Settee; twist turnings on back and front posts and under stretcher; cane backs and upholstered seats, covered with \$64.00 Tapestry .....

Library Suite, in Fumed Oak finish, Arm Rocker, Arm Chair and Side Chair; seats upholstered and covered with imitation Spanish Leather..... \$18.00

## Library Tables

Fumed Oak Library Table, with 40-inch top; magazine shelf on each \$9.50 end.....

Fumed Oak Library Table, with 42-inch top; two magazine shelves on \$12.50 each end; good finish.....

Quarter-sawed Golden Oak Library Table, with 44-inch top; lower shelf and \$11.50 roomy drawer; excellent finish...

Mahogany-finish Library Table; highly polished, with lower shelf and

roomy drawers; very effective \$12.50

#### Library Chairs

Fireside Library Chair; overstuffed Colonial wing pattern; covered with \$24.00 excellent quality Tapestry.....

Fireside Library Chair; covered in genuine Brown Spanish Leather— \$32.00 removable cushion seat.....

Solid Mahogany Library Arm Chair; dull finish; frame of Adam design; spring upholstered seat; covered \$18.00 with fine grade Tapestry......

#### Library Rockers

Solid Mahogany Rockers; the dull finish and design typical of the Adam period. Spring upholstered seat; covered with \$18.00

Solid Mahogany Library Rocker; dull finish; automobile spring seats, cov- \$15.00 ered with fine Blue Panne Plush.

#### Metal Beds

White Enamel Iron Bed; arch design head and foot end..... \$2.25 White Enamel Iron Bed; five filling rods in each end, brass knobs on \$4.00

Metal Bed, Vernis Martin finish; 2-inch continuous posts; five filling rods in \$6.50 Metal Bed, Vernis Martin finish; Napoleon design; heavy corner \$14.50

Ouarter-sawed Golden Oak Library Suite: polished finish; continuous arms; three pieces -Arm Chair, Arm Rocker and Settee; spring seats, covered with genuine \$44.00 Brown Spanish Leather

Mahogany-finish Library Suite-3 pieces -Arm Chair, Arm Rocker and Settee-with spring seats, covered with genuine Spanish Leather..... \$28.00

Mahogany-finish Library Suite-3 pieces -Arm Chair, Arm Rocker and Settee, with graceful twist turnings; seats upholstered with Blue Plush, and best of \$44.00 workmanship throughout .....

### Library Couch

Imitation Leather Couch; Oak frame; steel springs; ruffied edge. Full \$7.50

#### Hall Chairs and Stools

Arm Chairs for use in the Hall or as an odd piece-wood seats, carved top back panel. Quarter-sawed Golden Oak or \$12.00 Fumed Oak....

Stools in Jacobean design; with twist turnings; seats covered with Tapes-try. Fumed Oak or Mahogany finish \$2.50

#### For the Books

Golden Oak Book Shelf; 26 inches wide; with curtain rod— \$6.00 five shelves.....

Fumed Oak Bookcase; 30 inches wide; single glass door— \$13.00 five shelves.....

Golden Oak Bookcase; 36 inches wide; two glass doors— \$15.00 five shelves.....

#### Hall Mirrors

Hall Glasses, with coat and hat hooks: Golden Oak frames and French bevel plate

14x14 Mirrors ......\$3.50 12x20 Mirrors ......\$4.50 14x24 Mirrors ......\$5.50

#### **Bed Springs**

All-metal Springs; woven wire \$3.00 with band braces..... All-metal Springs; woven wire; securely braced with bands and National \$4.00 link fabric.....

All-metal Springs; Rome link fabric; GUARANTEED for ten \$3.50 All-metal Springs; woven wire pencilweave fabric; swung from ends on \$6.50 helical springs; high riser ends....

#### For the Bedroom

You'll find many very special values-in designs and finishes that are immensely popular. Suites and Separate pieces, which match perfectly—and of them a Suite can be assem-bled exactly in accord with your personal pref-

Eye

#### Adam Suite \$95 Four Pieces, 4

Selected Mahogany; best of finish and high-grade construction throughout. Dresser; 42 inches wide, with \$26.00 French plate mirror 22x28..... Chiffonier; 32 inches wide, \$24.00 with French plate mirror 16x20.. Dressing Table; 32 inches \$25.00 wide, with triplicate mirrors....

Bed—full double size..... \$20.00 Ivory Enamel Dresser; Adam design; 41 inches wide, French \$35.00

plate mirror 24x28..... Chiffonier, to match; 33 inches wide, French plate mirror \$34.00 20x20.....

Oak Dresser; four-drawer base, good quality of stock and finish; \$11.00

Oak Chiffonier, to match; six \$11.00 drawer base; French plate mirror Quarter-sawed Oak Dresser; four drawer, swell front base; \$15.00

French bevel plate mirror..... Quarter-sawed Oak Dresser; \$20.00 with wider base and larger mirror

Quarter-sawed Oak Chiffonier; matching either of these \$18.00 Dressers..... White Enamel Chiffonier; fine \$8.00

finish and strong construction.... Quarter-sawed Oak Dresser: polish finish; shaped French \$24.00 Chiffonier and Triplicate-mir-

ror Dressing Table to match; \$24.00 each..... Mahogany or Bird's Eye Maple Dresser, Chiffonier and Triplicate-mirror \$26.00

Toilet Table; each..... Ivory Enamel Dresser; the top of the base is Tuna Mahogany; Queen Ann design; finely finished inside and out; 44 inches

wide, with French plate mirror, \$45.00 24x30..... Chiffonier, to match; 34 inches wide; French plate mirror, \$43.00

16x20..... Walnut Dresser-Sheraton design-swelled front base, 44 inches wide; French \$54.00 plate mirror, 28x32.....

Chiffonier, to match; 36 

wide, with Triplicate French plate \$38.00 mirrors..... Bed to match; full double \$40.00

Dull-finish Mahogany Dresser; Queen Ann design, with spoon foot and the scalloped top mirror frame typical of this period; 

Chiffonier, to match; 34 inches wide, French plate mirror 18x22. \$60.00 Mahogany Dresser; Dull finish, Louis XVI design, fine interior work, Mahogany

drawer bottoms and dustproof partitions; 46

inches wide; with French plate \$50.00 mirror 24x30..... Chiffonier, to match; 36 inches \$50.00 wide, French plate mirror 20x28.

Dull finished Mahogany Dresser; modern Sheraton design, swelled front with urn inlay in base and mirror frame; 50 inches wide, with French plate mirror 28 \$74.00

Chiffonier, to match; 36 inches wide, French plate mirror 18x22. \$63.00